IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Roach et al.

Serial No. : 09/957,459 Examiner: To, Baoquoc N.

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For : AN AUTOMATIC REAL-TIME FILE MANAGEMENT METHOD

AND APPARATUS

Renewed Petition Under 37 CFR 1.137(b)

Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant filed a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) to revive the referenced application. On February 18, 2009, a decision on petition was mailed dismissing the petition. Applicants seek reconsideration of their petition. In support of this request, Applicants are concurrently filing an appeal brief and fee under 37 C.F.R. § 41.20.

Reconsideration of the Petition and entry of the appeal brief are respectfully requested.

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